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ENVIRONMENTAL CLEANUP**

The Air Force invites the public to review and comment on the Site 29 Proposed Plan for Air Force Plant 42 located in Palmdale, California.



The plan summarizes the interim cleanup alternatives the U.S. Air Force evaluated and the one it recommends as a preferred interim remedial action alternative for the site under its environmental Installation Restoration Program. Site 29, located at Plant Site 1 in the northwestern portion of AFP 42, consists of the vadose zone extending from the ground surface down to the water table as well as groundwater. Both the vadose zone and groundwater have been impacted by the solvent trichloroethylene (TCE).

The goal of the preferred interim remedial action alternative is to reduce TCE concentrations in the soil and groundwater to levels that are protective of human health and the environment. The Air Force's preferred alternative will contain and treat TCE-impacted groundwater and use a soil-vapor extraction system to reduce the mass of TCE in the soil vapor.

The proposed interim action is intended to complement and lead to a final cleanup remedy for the site. Data acquired during this interim action will be used to develop the final remedy.

This proposed plan is a summary of information that can be found in greater detail in AFP 42-related environmental documents for Site 29. This and all previous environmental investigations were performed according to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act and the National Contingency Plan.

The Air Force and the State of California encourage the public to review the proposed plan and other AFP 42 documents to understand the activities conducted at Site 29 better.

**SITE 29 PROPOSED PLAN PUBLIC  
MEETING AND RAB MEETING**

**Date:** Wednesday  
Nov. 5, 2008

**Place:** Palmdale Water District  
2029 East Avenue Q  
Palmdale, CA 93550  
661.947.4111, extension 103

**Time:** 6:30-8:30 p.m.

**Agenda:**

- Site 29 Proposed Plan public meeting
- Public comment period for the Site 29 Proposed Plan
- March and August 2008 RAB Minutes
- Site 29 September 2008 Groundwater Sampling Update
- Sites 6 and 27 Fieldwork Update

**Public Comment Period:**

**Oct. 27 - Nov. 25, 2008**

Comments on the Site 29 Proposed Plan may be submitted between Oct. 27 and Nov. 25 to Chuck Muston listed below. A copy of the proposed plan is available on the Web at:  
<http://www.wpafb.af.mil/asc/environmental/index.asp>,  
or you may stop by the AFP 42 information repositories at the Palmdale and Lancaster libraries.

**For details, call:**

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